Tututni language

Tututni (*Dotodǝni*, alternatively "Tutudin"), also known as **Upper Coquille** and **(Lower) Rogue River**, is an Athabaskan language once spoken by three Tututni (Lower Rogue River Athabaskan) tribes: Tututni tribe (including Euchre Creek band), Coquille tribe, and Chasta Costa tribe who are part of the Rogue River Indian peoples of southwestern Oregon. In 2006 students at Linfield College participated in a project to "revitalize the language." [4] It is one of the four languages belonging to the *Oregon Athabaskan* cluster of the Pacific Coast Athabaskan languages.

Dialects were **Coquille** (Upper Coquille, Mishikhwutmetunee), spoken along the upper Coquille River;[1] **Tututni** (Tututunne, Naltunnetunne, Mikonotunne, Kwatami, Chemetunne, Chetleshin, Khwaishtunnetunnne); **Euchre Creek**, and **Chasta Costa** (Illinois River, *Šista Qʼʷǝ́sta*).

Tututni		
Tutudin, Coquille, Lower Rogue River		
Rogue River		
Native to	Oregon	
Ethnicity	Coquille tribe, Tututni tribe (including Euchre Creek band), Chasta Costa tribe	
Extinct	1983[1]	
Language family	Dené–Yeniseian?	
	▪ Na-Dené	
	▪ Athabaskan	
	▪ Pacific Coast Athabaskan	
	▪ Oregon Athabaskan	
	▪ **Tututni**	
Language codes		
ISO 639-3	Either: `tuu` – Tututni `coq` – Coquille	
Glottolog	tutu1242 (http://glottolog.org/resource/languoid/id/tutu1242) Tututni[2] coqu1236 (http://glottolog.org/resource/languoid/id/coqu1236) Coquille[3]	

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The following lists the consonant and vowel sounds in the Tututni language[5]:

<div align="center">Consonants</div>

		Bilabial	Alveolar	Retroflex	Lateral	Palatal	Velar plain	Velar lab.	Glottal
Plosive	plain	p	t				k	kʷ	ʔ
	aspirated		tʰ						
	ejective		t'				k'	kʷ'	
Affricate	plain					tʃ			
	aspirated					tʃʰ			
	ejective		ts'	tʂ'	tɬ'	tʃ'			
Fricative	plain		s	ʂ	ɬ	ʃ	x	xʷ	h
	voiced						ɣ	ɣʷ	
Sonorant		m	n		l	j			

Vowels in Tututni are /i e a o ə/.

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External links

- OLAC resources in and about the Coquille language (http://www.language-archives.org/language/coq)
- OLAC resources in and about the Tututni language (http://www.language-archives.org/language/tuu)
- Chasta Costa at the California Language Archive (http://cla.berkeley.edu/language/1274)
- Tututni at the California Language Archive (http://cla.berkeley.edu/language/1268)

- Upper Coquille at the California Language Archive (http://cla.berkeley.edu/language/1269)

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